GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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ANIMAL DISEASE FREE ZONES
V. SAROJA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to create animal disease-free zones to strengthen animal/cattle health system; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): The Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying has proposed a Scheme `Creation of Disease Free Zones` to be initiated during the 9th Five Year Plan. Initially, the States of Punjab, Haryana, Delhi and twenty districts of Western Uttar Pradesh (Zone-I), Gujarat (Zone-II), and Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh (Zone-III) have been included.